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The Extinct Quagga.
The quagga, the half cousin to the
wild ass, has vanished from Africa
and only exists as imperfect specimens
in the European museums.
The quagga exists as a name still in
South Africa, for the name has been
wrongly applied to Burchell's zebra,
but the true quagga, which took its
name from its cry "quagga," has been
extinct since 1872, when the last of
his or, rather, of her race, for this
quagga was a female, died in the Lon-
don Zoological society's menagerie.
Its extinction in South Africa was
due solely to the zeal with which the
Dutch farmers hunted it for its hide,
and it is a sad reflection that
thousands of Kafirs used to be fed on
it by their Boer masters.

The idiotic wastefulness of such ex-
terminating a species becomes the
more marked in view of the fact that
the quagga, which was midway be-
tween a zebra and a wild ass, could
be broken to harness and was the
bravest as well as the hardiest of ani-
mals. Some Boer farmers used to
keep tame quaggas on their farms to
graze with horses in order to protect
them from beasts of prey.

Love's Final Ace.
"The last game of love in a man's life
is the dotage," says Dorothy Dix in
Ainslee's. "This is peculiar to wealthy
old men, and its most pronounced
symptom is a mania for presenting
diamonds and opening bottles for
chorus girls, who call him papa. At
other times in a man's life he has some
slight misgivings about love being al-
ways conducted on a reciprocal basis,
but when he reaches this age he throws
fears to the winds. He knows he is
loved for himself alone. The man at
twenty-five doubts his power to win a
woman's heart. The man of seventy-
five is coarser than he is a charming-
ly feminine can resist. He knows
the ratio of his fascinations has in-
creased with his advancing years, and
he quarrels with his family, who are
cruel enough to suggest that the de-
butee he leads to the altar may have a
weather eye on his will."

"The last game of love is the most dan-
gerous of them all and is generally fatal.
In fact, love is like the measles—
it is safest and goes easiest with a man
when he has it early in life."

Tips In St. Petersburg.
Speaking of high prices, Henry Nor-
man's book on Russia throws some in-
teresting light on what it incidentally
costs to visit St. Petersburg. To begin
with, he tells us every house and hotel
there contains a swarm of servants,
and each one expects a tip. The man
who takes your coat and hat at a pri-
vate house thinks 10 cents little enough,
and if you give a dollar or two to the
attendant who performs the same mod-
est service at an official residence he is
only satisfied. The tips of a wealthy
Russian to a waiter at a good restau-
rant are something enormous. A de-
cent room in a first class hotel costs
about \$4 a day, and a closed carriage to
take you to dinner, ten minutes' drive
away, costs \$5. A few sheets of note
paper in your hotel costs you a shilling
and the cheapest kind of a bath \$1. St.
Petersburg is far and away the most
expensive city in the world.

Bare Feet and Earth.
There is nothing like having both
feet on the ground, says Medical Talk.
If a man should go barefoot, the con-
tact of his bare feet with the earth
and his head projecting into the at-
mosphere would make a perfect elec-
trical conductor, through which the
electricity of the air would pass
behave his body to the earth. While
no apparent harm is done, yet, being
insulated from the electricity of the
earth by wearing shoes, the electricity
falls of its beneficial result. There can
be no doubt that it would be better for
everybody, especially nervous people,
if their feet were on the ground instead
of in shoes.

Ragpickers of Paris.
In Paris each house is provided by
the city with a large box. Into this
the servants throw all that is not need-
ed by the family, whether of food or
rubbish. Every morning the chif-
foniers, or ragpickers, are privileged to
search through these boxes before the
contents are carted by the city to dis-
tant fields, where the refuse is em-
ployed in fertilizing the soil. From
the homes of the wealthy the poor re-
ceive many articles of real value. Fifty
thousand ragpickers, say the statis-
tics, realize \$10,000 daily from their
pickings.

The Stingiest Man.
"I think the most peevish man I
ever knew," remarked the man in the
mackintosh, "was old Hewlings. He
smoked his cigars to the last half inch,
chewed the stumps and used the ashes
for snuff. But he wasn't satisfied even
then and gave up the habit."
"What for?" asked the man with the
big Adam's apple.
"He couldn't think of any way to
utilize the smoke,"—Chicago Tribune.

How It Happened.
The Passerby—But I really don't see
how the study of aerial navigation
could have impaired your eyesight.
The Mendicant—Mebbe you didn't
never stand watchin' no balloons when
they started droppin' sand out—
Brooklyn Life.

Drutes Can Speak.
"Do brutes have a language?" asked
the president of the Millville Literary
circle at a recent meeting.
"Do they?" replied the secretary.
"You ought to hear my husband when
he loses his collar button."

A Dainty Lunch.
That word "dainty" never being used
to describe the lunch spread for men,
we have decided that it means there is
not enough to eat.—Aitchison Globe.

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Stage Ice Cream.
That "make believes" of the stage
are not so easily detected now as in
the days when Mr. Joseph Jefferson was
beginning to earn his reputation as an
actor is shown by this story of dramat-
ic "business" in the earlier days of the
Walnut Street theater in Philadelphia.
There was a scene in the course of
which a servant was to enter with
lights.

"In those days," said Mr. Jefferson,
"sea island cotton was stage ice cream,
and it is a sad reflection that
thousands of Kafirs used to be fed on
the very best sort of an impression on
a crowded house.
"Then in came that misadventur-
ous with the wabblest sort of candelabra.
The scene was so engrossing that she
was scarcely noticed, but when she set
down her burden on the table and one
candle toppled out and put the ice
cream in a blaze—well, the entire au-
dience burst into a laugh, and the cur-
tain had to be rung down."

Billion and Trillion.
There are two systems of numeration
in use at the present day, com-
monly called the English and the
French systems. In the former the
billion is a million of millions, a trillion
a million of billions, and each denom-
ination is a million times the one pre-
ceding. In the latter, which is the sys-
tem used in the United States, each
billion is a thousand millions, and each
denomination is a thousand times the
preceding. Therefore, according to the
English notation, a trillion is the prod-
uct of a million involved to the third
power, or the number represented by
a unit with its ciphers annexed;
according to the French notation, the
number expressed by a unit with
twelve ciphers attached. A billion ac-
cording to the French method is the
number represented by a unit with
nine ciphers and according to the Eng-
lish method with twelve ciphers an-
nexed.

Putting a Tooth.
An Irishman who had gone into a
dentist's to get a tooth pulled had it
out in a few minutes.
"That will be half a crown," said the
dentist.

"Half a crown?" said Pat. "Why, the
last tooth I got pulled at home the old
doctor set me down on the floor and
put the nippers in my mouth and pulled
me round and round the room, out of
the door and down the stairs. When
we got to the foot, the doctor said, 'By
the help of heaven and the attraction
of gravity we'll hev yer out yet,' so
when we got to the top out came the
tooth, and he only took a shillin'!"—
London Tit-Bits.

Some Garter Customs.
It was a common custom with our
forefathers to wear the garters of a
pretty maiden either on the hat or
knee, says the New York Press. Brides
usually wore on their legs a sort of
gay ribbons, to be distributed after the
marriage ceremony among the bride-
groom's intimate friends. The piper at
the wedding dance never failed to tie
a piece of the bride's garter around the
stem of his bagpipe. The Lombard
country girls used to wear daggers in
their garters.

The Suicide Problem.
The prevalent belief that suicide is a
product of the higher civilization is
contradicted by the fact that in India
suicides by opium are committed by
the natives for the most trivial rea-
sons, even children destroying them-
selves after being scolded and wives
because husbands complain of their
dimers. There are no regulations for
the sale of poison, and anybody can go
into a bazaar and buy as much as he
wants.

Caution.
"Willie, did you thank Mr. Speedway
for taking you to drive?" said the
mother of a small boy solicitously. No
answer. The question was repeated.
Still no answer.
"Willie, do you hear me? Did you
thank Mr. Speedway for taking you to
drive?"
"Yes," whispered Willie, "but he told
me not to mention it."—Life.

He Knew Why.
Ascum—What became of the story
you sent to the Klapptrap Magazine?
Scribbler—Rejected. I fancy it was
too clever.
Ascum—Too clever?
Scribbler—Yes; I suppose they were
afraid it would distract attention from
their advertising pages.

Long Distance Treatment.
He died in town last summer. During
his last illness his wife nursed him
over the telephone from Newport, his
doctor treated him by telegraph from
Bar Harbor, and a letter, written from
the top of the Alps by his clergyman,
was read over him at his funeral.

Good Reason.
Toggs' Old Friend—Good gracious,
man! Do I find you reduced to playing
a cornet at the street corner to make a
living?
Toggs—I'm not doing this to make a
living. My wife won't let me practice
in the house.

Inconstancy.
Waggsby—I note that Holdum, pres-
dent of the Old Settlers' association,
has been sued.
Naggsby—What for?
Waggsby—For refusing to settle.—
Los Angeles Herald.

Sincerity is the basis of all true
friendship. Without sincerity it is like
a ship without ballast.

No man was ever so much deceived
by another as by himself.—Greville.

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A Freak Tree.
Probably one of the most remarkable
curiosities in the world is the twin tree
growing in the province of Loire, south-
ern France. This marvelous freak of
nature consists of two healthy trees
some twenty feet high, with brilliant
foliage, the top one actually growing
upon the lower.
A cavity was formed in the upper
trunk of the bottom tree, which was
filled with decaying bark and the ac-
cumulated dust and debris of years.
This became a sort of bed, from which
sprang the roots and in time produced
the upper tree. Contrary to all the
laws of horticulture, the life of the tree
has not been injured in the least by its
parasitic companion on top.

The top tree is a lime, and the pe-
cants in the neighborhood make occa-
sional pilgrimages to this tree, as they
make a sort of tea from the buds of the
lime, which, they say, on account of its
peculiar growth and situation, has
mysterious and beneficial powers if im-
bibed.
The lime is firmly rooted in the lower
tree, having withstood the ravages of
the wind for years, and seems to be
nourished as well as if it were growing
in the natural soil of the earth.

Camels In Africa.
At the present day camels are used
for all sorts of domestic purposes in
Africa. They may even be seen draw-
ing plows in the interior of the regency
of Tunis. You may remark a woman
and a camel harnessed to the same
plow, and you hesitate to decide
which is the greater outrage. They are
also used for drawing water from the
strange, cumbersome, old fashioned
wells of north Africa. Their chief use,
however, is for caravans. You may be-
hold them bringing in huge cases of
dates from the oases, or you may see
them with great tentlike structures of
red silk upon their backs. These tents
are for the conveyance of Arab women
of the upper classes, who seek to main-
tain the privacy of the harem when
on a journey. Two women and some
children are often accommodated on
one camel. They have cushions on
which they can lie down and even
sleep. It is stuffy, and it is dark, but
they deem themselves well off in escap-
ing from the searching rays of the
burning sun.

First European Railway.
The first carriages that ran on rails
in Europe were those of a horse rail-
way between Linz and Budweis, in
Austria. This was in working order
in 1827. Locomotive railways were
much longer coming. The first line, in
a modern sense, was opened from Paris
to St. Germain in 1835, but railway
development was greatly hindered by
a terrible accident on the Paris-Ver-
sailles line in 1842. The next was the
Brussels-Malines line in Belgium. Bel-
gium was also the first country to be-
gin, in 1830, systematic plans for a na-
tional network of railways. Prussia
followed in 1835 and Austria-Hungary
in 1838. The first great trunk line in
Europe was from Paris to Rouen,
opened in May, 1843.

Value of the Lessons.
Mrs. Billing—Do you think it is
worth while for my daughter to go on
taking singing lessons? She has been
at it for five years and cannot sing
yet.
Professor von Note—Did you expect
her to learn to sing? She will never
sing in zee vide world.
"Then why didn't you say so long
ago?"
"I thought you merely wanted to
strengthen her lungs."

Potted Plants.
The reason some people "never have
any luck with plants" is sometimes
because the drainage is defective. A
plant will not live in a heavy, sour,
soggy soil, such as fills a pot when
the drainage is not complete. This is
especially true of palms, to which the
stagnant moisture is sure death, but it
holds true of any pot grown plant.

Papa's Joke.
"I think it is so silly to see a baby
blinking his toes," remarked the young
mother.
"Well, I don't," spoke up the young
father. "It shows that he is already
learning how to be thrifty."
"Thrifty?"
"Yes; isn't he making both ends
meet?"—Chicago News.

First After Dinner Speech.
"I wonder who made the first after
dinner speech?" asked the philosopher.
"Adam," replied the wise guy promp-
tly. "As soon as he got through with
the core of that apple he said, 'The wo-
man tempted me, didn't he?'—Cincin-
nati Commercial Tribune.

In the Depths.
"He's trying to get a reputation as
the worst pessimist in town."
"He is the worst already."
"Oh, no; he's only trying to be."
"But he declares he knows it will
just be his luck not to succeed."—
Catholic Standard and Times.

Bagpipes.
It is said that the only thing Scotch
in a set of bagpipes is the sheepskin
and tartan. The wood—ebony or coc-
cus—comes from Africa or Jamaica, the
ivory from Africa, the horn from Aus-
tralia and the cane for the reed from
Spain.

A Case of Heredity.
Cholly—Do you know, Miss Sharp, I
believe some people inherit their stu-
pidity.
Miss Sharp—But, Mr. Saphead, it is
not proper to speak that way of your
parents.—Columbia Jester.

A Hot Finish.
"Speaking of a 'hot finish,'" re-
marked noted Allen Sparks, "there's
the wasp."—Chicago Tribune.

Teaching Him a Lesson.
Thompson—Did your wife scold you
when you went home so late last
night?
Johnson—You don't know what it is
to have a wife who was once a school-
teacher. She simply made me write a
hundred times on a slate, "I must be
home by 10 o'clock."

The Real Meaning.
"Ennui," said the cynical codger, "is
the polite name for laziness. It means
doing nothing and too tired to stop."
—Baltimore Herald.

System With a Method.
"I have nearly run my legs off going
about a department store making a few
purchases for my wife," said the man
with the bundles. "I believe that I
was directed to six different parts of
the establishment for each article I
bought. I went upstairs, down-
stairs, across the shop, along the aisle
and from one point to another, just as
though nobody knew where anything
was."
"You evidently don't understand the
system," suggested his friend.
"Indeed I don't. If it is a system, it
is beyond my understanding," he an-
swered.

"Well, it is a system that is not with-
out method," replied the other. "You
did not realize it, but it was a great
exhibition of stock for your benefit. It
would have been a great deal of trou-
ble to have seated you on one of the re-
volving stools and brought all of the
goods in the store and paraded them
in front of you; so you were started off
and directed from place to place so as
to make a tour of the establishment
and get a general view of the goods in
each department. Do you see the ad-
vertising scheme?"
"I believe that you are right, my
boy, for that is the only rational ex-
planation of the proceeding."—New
York Herald.

Great Word Building Contest.
See how many words you can make
out of the letters given below. Do not
use any other letters save those given.
You can use proper names, improper
names, verbs, nouns, adjectives, prepo-
sitions, conjunctions and articles. Do
not use any one letter more than eight
times in one word. Use only nine words.
Here are the letters:
A B C D E F G H I J K L M
N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Here is your chance! See who can
get up the largest lists of words by
using these letters according to the
rules of the contest. For the first largest
number of words sent in a postmarked
envelope in a week, the winner will
be awarded; to the second largest num-
ber, a pound of medicated pastry.
Every guess must be accompanied by
a coupon from a 4 per cent government
bond.—New York Telegraph.

The Ancient Hour.
The early Egyptians divided the day
and night each into twelve hours, a cus-
tom adopted by the Jews or the Greeks
probably from the Babylonians. The
day is said to have first been divided
into hours from B. C. 233, when a sun-
dial was erected in the temple of Quir-
inus at Rome. Previous to the invention
of water clocks, B. C. 158, the time was
called at Rome by public criers. In
early England an expedient of meas-
uring time was by wax candles, three
inches burning an hour. The first per-
fect mechanical clock was not made
until about A. D. 1250. Day began at
sunrise among most of the northern na-
tions, at sunset among the Athenians
and Jews, at midnight among the Ro-
mans, as with us.

Real Sea Serpents.
In New Caledonia sea serpents are
frequently seen and sometimes cap-
tured. They are curious creatures, the
head being very small and scarcely
distinguishable from the body and the
tail being formed like an oar. In length
they are generally between three and
four feet.

In the jaw there are tiny glands con-
taining poison; but, as the mouth is
very small, it is difficult for them to
bite, and the natives handle them fear-
lessly.
M. Kermogant, a European traveler,
witnessed an experiment at Noumea
which shows that under certain con-
ditions the sea serpent can do deadly
work. A rat was caught in a trap,
and its tongue was grasped by a pair
of pinchers and placed in the mouth of
a sea serpent. The serpent immedi-
ately bit it, and the rat died in four
minutes.

Profit

The matter of feed is of
tremendous importance to the
farmer. Wrong feeding is
loss. Right feeding is profit.

The up-to-date farmer knows
what to feed his cows to get
the most milk, his pigs to get
the most pork, his hens to
get the most eggs. Science.

But how about the children?
Are they fed according to
science, a bone food if bones
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of seeing Lamb's fascinating story
worked out in real life. In the begin-
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passed through a busy market village
where the people kept many pigs. In
the middle of the night a fire broke
out in the market village and de-
stroyed the whole place. No lives had
been lost, but most of the pigs had
been roasted, especially those too fat
to run quickly. Roast pigs! Burning
houses! Lamb's story in real life!
Quite naturally I remarked that some
folk must have had a splendid meal
of roast pork in those days. To my sur-
prise the natives asked with disgust:
A splendid meal! Who would eat
that stinking, smoky stuff? The
palate of the Chinaman is absolutely re-
fused to eat smoky roast pork! All that mag-
nificent epicurean description culmi-
nating in the one word 'crackling'—a
delusion, a yarn, a lie! I gloated over
that yarn when a boy and grew ex-
cited as the story went from one page
to another. Now to find the whole
thing go up in smoke!"

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep us posted concerning events of public interest happening in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social topics, new buildings, persons leaving or coming into the county, are always acceptable. Give details of important items. Matter in how rough a shape. Avoid personal matters that might give offense. Visits to better towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

CONSTABLE'S FEES.

A correspondent in last week's Ledger called attention to the inadequacy of the remuneration of constables. It has been found impossible in township four to find any competent man to accept the office. The man who was elected declined to serve, and the retiring constable refuses to remain in office because he cannot make a living out of it. For a populous and compact township like the one in question, this shows that there is something radically wrong in the laws governing the fees of this office. Amador county is not alone in this experience. They are having quite a time in Sacramento over the same question. There the constables have been charging \$3 per day for attendance upon the court, under the old-time schedule. This fee, however, has been dropped out of the present law, and the charge on this score is therefore branded as illegal. With this knocked out, the constables there threaten to resign. In Amador county, no charge has been made of late years for a per diem of \$3 for waiting upon court. Every time the constable's presence is required in the court room, he is formerly entitled to this per diem. It was a material item in his compensation. The lopping off of this allowance has reduced the office to its present go-begging condition. In this cutting down process, we see the same policy that has succeeded in reducing the fee system in the superior court to the existing absurdly low schedule, and no doubt the controlling motive has been the same in both cases; namely, to reduce the cost of litigation as far as the parties to the suit are concerned. In other words to make the way easy to get into law, by throwing the burden of expense upon the public treasury. As the county officers are paid a fixed salary, this process was easy of accomplishment in the superior court fees, without entailing any hardship upon the officials. But constables have had to depend entirely upon fees, and so it happened that when the onslaught upon the fee system in justice's courts was made with the object of cheapening civil suits, the fees in criminal cases were lopped off at the same time. Both had to go together. Constables must attend upon court for \$1 per day, both in criminal and civil cases. What a ridiculous state of affairs. The anomaly is the subject of much comment in other counties, and no doubt something will be done by the present legislature to remedy it.

Sacramento trustees are considering the propriety of passing an ordinance making it a crime to engage in boycotting. The necessity of such a law has been accentuated by the events incident to the cook's and waiter's strike now on in that city. The spectacle is presented daily of the pickets of the strikers parading in front of the principal hotels and restaurants endeavoring to persuade would-be patrons not to patronize the houses that refuse to accede to the strikers' demands. Such actions would not be tolerated for five minutes in any other civilized community. But in free America it is not only tolerated and winked at, but it is proposed to make it lawful by express enactment. But whatever the law-making body may do, boycotting and picketing and other forms of intimidation can never be made otherwise than odious to all right-thinking men.

The appropriation for the ice plant at the Preston School has passed the senate, and McKenney has had it substituted on the files for the assembly bills, so it will soon be on its way to the governor. McKenney's bill to forbid officers and employers and state officers having their clothes made at state institutions is only five numbers down on the second reading file, and should pass this week.

The employees of the various state hospitals or insane asylums, has gotten a bill favorably reported raising their salaries in some instances to \$900 a year, and in others to \$660. This gives them nearly double their present wages. The measure seems likely to pass.

DOESN'T WANT HIS SALARY RAISED.

(Mountain Democrat.)

Senator Diggs, of Yuba, is in receipt of a letter from Judge K. S. Mahon of Sutter, in which the letter says that the bill now before the senate raising the salaries of judges of the superior court is ill-advised as far as Sutter county is concerned. Judge Mahon receives what he believes to be ample at the present time.

Senator Diggs will seek to have the bill amended as Judge Mahon suggests.

It is now up to other superior court judges to follow Judge Mahon's example.—Evening Post.

Judge Mahon may be alone in the stand he has taken, so far as superior judges are concerned, but among the masses of the people who pay the salaries, he has a world of company.

A bill is before the legislature to provide a salary for official reporters in the superior court. The proposed salary is \$75 per month, which of course is to come out of the county treasury. For civil cases, the reporter is allowed to charge \$10 per day, and 15 cents per folio for transcribing testimony. We presume the bill is intended to apply to Amador county. Its provisions may be all right as far as Alameda and other populous counties are concerned, where there is work enough in criminal business to keep the reporter busy. But it is all wrong if intended for Amador and other counties similarly circumstanced. Here we do not average one criminal trial in three months. It would simply mean an additional tax upon the property holders. A bill was pushed through the legislature at the last session conferring upon superior courts the power to appoint an official reporter at a fixed salary. It was knocked out as unconstitutional. Now the legislature proposes to create the office and fix the compensation. The trouble with the average law-maker is that he labors under the impression that a law suitable for one county must be suitable for all. At the salary named, the reporter might be poorly compensated in Alameda, but vastly overpaid in Amador county. In a county like this, if a fixed salary is to be given the official reporter, it should be in full compensation for all services required, whether civil or criminal, and whether in superior or justice's courts. Fees in civil cases should be collected from civil litigants, and turned into the county treasury. If such were the law, it would not be long ere there would be a notable shriveling up of reporter's fees in civil cases, with the inevitable result of cheapening the cost of civil suits at the expense of the general public.

The taxpayers of Amador county will note that every paper in the county, with the exception of the Ledger, is supporting the proposed raise of salary of superior judge. The Amador Record and Lone Echo are both openly advocating this salary grab game. The Dispatch for obvious reasons is silent—the silence that gives consent. The old frayed-out argument is used that increase of salary means a higher grade of talent for the bench. This is very complimentary to the bench of Amador county. If the salary of the past has been inadequate to secure the services of men thoroughly qualified for the position, the statement is a reflection upon the ability of every one who has occupied that position in the past. If on the other hand, competent men have been secured, and are now occupying the position, then the contention that more pay is necessary to secure efficient judges falls to the ground. Our cotemporaries have placed themselves in a dilemma on this question anyhow.

Too much government oversight and regulation is as disastrous to business enterprise as too little. The Sacramento solons are disposed to push the business to the extreme. Senator Ralston was bold enough to tell them the other day that if a certain bill in relation to the responsibility of employers was passed in the form contemplated, it would be apt to kill the great mining industry of the state. A state mining bureau is maintained at great expense for the purpose of aiding this great industry, and then laws are proposed which if passed, would certainly tend to hamper those who invest their capital in mining enterprises.

A law should be passed in congress changing the time of the expiration of mining locations, where annual labor has not been done, from midnight on the first of January to 12 o'clock m. of the same day. As the law now stands if the night be dark, and the ground rough, a half dozen locations may be made on the same ground by different parties, each without knowing of the presence of the other. When the ground is valuable this invariably leads to prolonged and expensive litigation, much of which could be avoided if the law provided for the relocation of the ground in broad daylight.—Copper Era.

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AMENDMENT TO THE GAME LAWS.

Governor Pardee has signed the new game law. The act goes into effect immediately.

The law makes the open season for valley quail, partridge and wild duck, October 15 to February 15; for mountain quail, grouse or sargehen, September 1 to February 15; for doves, July 1 to February 15; for deer, July 15 to November 1. The law also makes it illegal to sell the pelt of any male deer or to have in possession the pelt of any spotted fawn or male deer, except those imported from foreign countries.

With all the bills before the legislature for increased pay of officials, this present law-making body bids fair to be known in history as the legislature of salary grab fame.

SACRAMENTO LETTER.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. — We have reached the stage of scandals. Not scandals in the legislature, unless the unexpected happens, there will be no scandals in this legislature unless the over appointment of attaches might be called a scandal. In fact it is conceded on all sides that this is beyond question the most decent, respectable, and dull legislature this town has ever seen. The hotels are never crowded, the lobby is conspicuous by its absence, except the game and fish lobby, which consists of one man; there is no heavy drinking, no talk of wine suppers and other things which would furnish Zola with a chapter for a new novel if he were alive, and no array of fast women occupying the arm chairs on the floor. One member, who has been considerable of a sport in past sessions, remarked in my hearing the other day that he would have to go to the poor farm when he got back if things continued as they have been. Even the much discussed junketing trips have been few and inexpensive as compared to other years. There has been no attempt at sensational legislation, no bills connected with which there was a well defined whisper of a sack, and while no doubt some bills may have been introduced with "cinch" motives, they have died aborning.

The investigations so far include the effort to discover what has become of the so-called Jessup fund at the Home of the Feeble Minded, the fund being money placed with the home to defray the expenses of one of the patients. The investigation has developed that the money was spent on the home, and while there may be some criticism of the expenditure, there is no question that it was really spent on the institution. In another matter the charge by a San Francisco paper that it would swear that the pilot commissioners, or one of them, asked money for a pilot commission, the joint committees on commerce and navigation of the senate and assembly are going to investigate them, and what the result will be no one knows, except that it may lead to the abolishment of the commission as a useless piece of machinery. The tendency to get rid of commissions is very marked and decided in this legislature, and although there is going to be a new bank commission, that undoubtedly will be the only case where a new body of that character will replace an old one.

The Capitol removal question is also agitating a number of persons at San Jose and Sacramento, and at one time it looked as though the constitutional amendment might go by default so far as Sacramento was concerned, but the citizens here have held a number of meetings, passed resolutions, and taken steps to oppose the ambition of the Garden City, with the result that they undoubtedly have votes enough to kill the amendment, although there may be a majority for it in both houses. It takes a two-third vote to pass a constitutional amendment however, and Sacramento has undoubtedly secured more than one-third of the votes in both houses in opposition. A number of members who announced that they were for removal, now say that they will not vote for it until they see the money that San Jose offers put up. They think that if the amendment was submitted to the people and carried, and San Jose did not put the money up, or could not, and a million dollars is a good deal for a town like San Jose to raise, even in these days of immense wealth, there would be very serious complications, and lots of trouble, so they have about agreed to let the matter drop or rather have concluded to vote against the amendment if it comes to a vote.

The bills for the Preston school are on the third reading file of the Assembly and Assemblyman McKenney thinks that they will pass in a few days. It is doubtful however, if the Governor will agree to sign them all when they reach him. As before explained in this correspondence, the condition of the treasury is not at all satisfactory, and the Governor desires to keep down expenditures. To do that all the institutions will have to come down some in their demands, and although he is a Native Son he has insisted that the proposition to purchase land for a park around Sutter's Fort in this city, which was endorsed by ninety-nine parlors should be cut

from \$20,000 to \$5,000. I mention that fact to show how great the decrease is, so that the people of Amador may not think, if they do not get all they want for the school that it is being signalled out among all the institutions of the State for a cut.

Barney O'Neill, superintendent of the Del Monte mine in Calaveras county, took his family to the mine Wednesday. C. C. O'Neill went with them, they intend taking up their residence there for some time.

Don't forget to take a good chicken and ravioli dinner every Sunday at the Louvre restaurant. Meals only 25 cents.

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DOCUMENTS RECEIVED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents received and make no claim to accuracy in any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

DEEDS.

John Mello to Antonio Mello—100 acres, E½ of SW¼ and W¼ of SE¼, sec 36 twp 6 n r 11 e; \$401.
 Lucy J. Mello et al to John Chinn et al—E½ of SW¼ and W¼ of SE¼, sec 36 twp 6 n r 11 e; \$800.
 Paul Covovich to Kris V. Kojovich—5 acres, commonly called the "Paul Covovich lot," twp 6 n r 11 e; \$5.
 George Turconovich to Minnie J. Martin—Surface claim to parcel of land in Middle Bar district; \$10.
 Ed. F. Wilder to John Monteverde—120 acres, E½ of NW¼ and NE¼ of SE¼ sec 28, twp 7 n r 11 e; \$10.
 T. K. Norman to George W. Kramor—Sale of Centennial mine, Drytown mining district; \$2000.
 MISCELLANEOUS.
 Notarial bond, Fred M. Frakes—Bondsman, E. C. Voorheis and L. Katz, \$5000 each.
 Estate of Henry Eudey—Final decree of distribution.
 Satisfaction of mortgage—Henry Russell et ux to Jacob Surface.
 Right of way—Cincinnati et al to Standard Electric Company in certain lands in sec 32 twp 6 n r 12 e; \$1.
 Assignment of interest in estate of Rebecca J. Thompson—J. Thompson et al to Julius Chicholiza; \$10.

\$100 Reward, \$10.

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It would seem that the people of all Northern California are our friends. Sympathy and regret for the recent loss by fire have come to us from all sides. We appreciate it all deeply. We hope that we merit it.

Fortunately our stock of new spring goods is but just beginning to arrive. We have engaged the Pavilion, Sixth and M Streets, Sacramento, as a temporary store and will open there in a few days.
 We are filling mail orders as usual. There is little or no interruption in that part of the business.
 Though the liberal and enterprising spirit of Sacramento financiers, who have promptly come to our aid, we shall soon have a finer store building at 400 to 416 K Street, than we had before.

Again thanking our out-of-town friends and customers for their countless expressions of good will, and the assurance that we shall spare no effort to attend to their wants quickly and well.

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PLASSE—Near Jackson, February 7, 1903, to the wife of Maurice Plasse, a son.

DONOVAN—In Jackson, February 11, 1903, to the wife of Daniel Donovan, a daughter.

MCKENZIE—At Defender, January 30, 1903, to the wife of Lawrence McKenzie, a daughter.

TAYLOR—In San Francisco, February 10, 1903, to the wife of Frank A. Taylor, a son.

MARRIED.

HARRIGAN—HIGGINS—At the M. E. church, Jackson, February 9, 1903, by Rev. G. H. Van Vleet, Daniel Harrigan of St. Paul, Minnesota, to Miss Lillian Higgins of Sutter Creek.

HENDERSON—WEARNE—At the M. E. church, Jackson, February 9, 1903, by Rev. G. H. Van Vleet, Daniel G. Henderson to Miss Mattie Wearne, both of Sutter Creek.

DIED.

NEIS—In the county hospital, February 12, 1903, Henry Neis, aged about 74 years.

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Ordinance No. 112.

Tax in the county of Amador for the year nineteen hundred and three, and providing for the collection of the same.

THE Board of Supervisor of Amador county do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Every male citizen over twenty-one years of age and under fifty-five years of age, who is a resident of the county of Amador, State of California, during the time for the collection of Road Poll Taxes for the year nineteen hundred and three, except all persons who were honorably discharged from services in the army or navy of the United States any time between the first day of April, in the year of our Lord 1861, and the first day of May, in the year of our Lord 1865, shall pay to the Assessor of Amador county, or his agent, an annual Road Poll Tax in the sum of Two Dollars, lawful money of the United States, and every such person not exempt as above set forth in any Road Poll Tax of said Amador county who has not paid the same in some other district must pay the said amount of Road Poll Tax so levied.

And said Assessor is hereby authorized and empowered to collect said Road Poll Tax in accordance with the provisions of Section 2052 of the Political Code of the State of California, and is hereby granted all the powers and authority therein designated, and is instructed and authorized to pursue all remedies that are provided by law for the collection of State Poll Taxes.

Section II. This ordinance before taking effect shall be published for one week in the Amador Ledger, a weekly newspaper published and printed in said Amador county, and shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of March, 1903.

Passed and approved by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Amador, State of California, this 10 day of February, 1903, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors E. B. Moore, August Grillo, L. Burke, M. Newman, W. M. Amick.

Noes—Supervisors: None.

E. B. MOORE, Chairman of said Board of Supervisors.

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